

### Demonstration Lesson Assignment

To prepare to create a unit plan, you will develop three lessons. Ideally, these lessons will be included into your unit plans, together with the unit plans of your classmates, will comprise a significant resource collection for your first year of teaching. You will first design a demonstration lesson that will help middle or high school students learn a concept.

**Your plan should include:**

- Title
- Grade level
- Lesson Overview
- Learning outcomes
  - Learning Performances
  - Links to standards
- Students' Prior Knowledge of Experience
- Establishing Purpose
- Instructional strategies
- Materials needed
- Time required
- Instructional sequence
  - Introducing the lesson
  - Instructional Activities
    - ♣ Teacher-led opportunities for experiencing and representing the content
    - ♣ Questions and prompts that promote students thinking about concepts of the lesson
    - ♣ Clear links that establish the purpose of the lesson
  - Concluding the lesson
- Assessing Student Understanding
- Student Resources
- Cautions

**The Rationale**

As part of the lesson plan assignment, you should include a design rationale that:

- justifies the lesson's structure,
- explains your decisions to include particular questions, phenomena, and representations,
- references the readings and your team's work to provide support for your design decisions.

**Due:** The first version is due to be posted on Teacherknowledge by 10/22. If you decide to revise your lesson, you should get that done by 10/29.